

# Cascade View & Twin Creeks Neighborhood Association

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## City of Everett Information

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## Monthly Meeting September 2016



## You are invited . . .

- **Monday, September 19, 2016**
- 7 pm
- South Precinct Police Station  
~ on the corner of Everett Mall  
Way & West Mall Drive

## Agenda:

- Introductions
- Police Report
- Guest Speaker: Joanna Nelson de Flores, Director of Forterra/Green Cities Program, will talk about the Parks Department's new "Bruskrud Road Park" Project, a 5 acre parcel of walking trails.
- National Night Out: Ice Cream Social a Big Success!
- Neighborhood Goodwill Project: Final plans to be discussed. Volunteers needed!
- Your Opportunity For Input
- Door Prizes: Leftovers from Ice Cream Social. FREE to those in attendance!

## View from the Chair

We have had a crazy, yet wonderful, Summer! Interspersed among beautiful, warm, sunny, sometimes HOT days. There have also been sometimes dark, wet days that remind us of where we live! Enjoy the warm, wonderful days while they last!

We are basking in the glow of yet again a wonderful National Night Out Ice Cream Social, which was a Big Success! We had over 200 people take part in a wide variety of fun, as well as educational, activities. There were: Ice Cream, a smoke house, a book walk, many hands-on arts and crafts, NNO buttons, live music: 2 guitars and a 3 piece string trio, many informational tables, a gardening demonstration and more!

Our Guest Speaker will be Joanna Nelson de Flores, Director of Forterra/Green Cities Program. She will talk about the Parks Department's new "Bruskrud Road Park" Project, a 5 acre parcel of walking trails and the need for Volunteer stewards to help maintain the trails. This park will be a true neighborhood asset of which we can all be proud!

I inadvertently forgot a large bag of donated items at home and 2 gift cards in my pocket. We will have a drawing to give those items away to those in attendance at THIS meeting.

On September 17/24, we will implement our Neighborhood Goodwill Project, which will involve a major yard cleanup at the home of an elderly neighbor. This is an opportunity to demonstrate to the Puget Sound region that GOOD THINGS HAPPEN IN EVERETT!!! Too often, the news reports shootings, drug activities or other crimes. I have been in touch with reporters from the print, television and radio media, all of whom are very interested! We will finalize our plans at this meeting. We need volunteers to help make it happen. Many hands make easier work! No particular skill required! If you can't do yard work, you can pass out water and lunch.

Please come meet your neighbors and share your stories!  
¡Sí Se Puede! Yes, We Can!

Michael J. Trujillo  
Chair of the Cascade View and Twin Creeks Neighborhoods  
Council of Neighborhoods Representative for Cascade View  
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## Have you spotted graffiti?

Call the graffiti hotline  
to report it at 425-  
257-URIT (8748)

Residential  
properties may be  
eligible for free  
removal.

## September is National Preparedness Month!

Sponsored by FEMA, National Preparedness Month aims to educate and empower Americans to prepare for and respond to all types of emergencies. This year's theme is "Don't Wait, Communicate. Make Your Emergency Plan Today!" Staying connected with your community and communicating is one very important step in preparing for disasters.

Visit [www.Ready.gov](http://www.Ready.gov) for resources, information, checklists and more to help you prepare!

Here are a few easy steps to start your emergency communication plan:

1. **Understand how to receive emergency alerts and warnings.** Learn more at [www.ready.gov/alerts](http://www.ready.gov/alerts).
2. **Discuss family/household plans for disasters that may affect your area and plan where to go.** Plan for different types of disasters like an earthquake, flood or wildfire.
3. **Collect information.** Create a paper copy of the contact information for your family & neighborhood that includes: Phone numbers and email addresses for family members, friends, neighbors & service providers.
4. **Identify information and pick an emergency meeting place.** Things to consider: In your neighborhood, outside of your neighborhood and outside of your town or city.
5. **Share information.** Make sure everyone in your family carries a copy in his or her backpack, purse, or wallet. You should also post a copy in a central location in your home, such as your refrigerator.
6. **Practice your plan.** Have a meeting to review your emergency plans and meeting place after a disaster, and then practice, just like a fire drill!

For more information and to view emergency plans for your community, please visit the Everett Office of Emergency Management at [www.EverettWA.gov/emergencymanagement](http://www.EverettWA.gov/emergencymanagement)

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### Save the Date!

**September 24, 1:00pm – 3:00 pm. Location & directions will be provided to those who RSVP**  
**Disaster Book Club** Read the book *"Lights Out"* by *Ted Koppel*, then come and discuss it with us! Imagine a blackout lasting not days, but weeks or months. In his New York Times bestselling "Lights Out", Ted Koppel reveals that a major cyber-attack on America's power grid is not only possible but likely, that it would be devastating, and that the United States is shockingly unprepared. **Must be CERT trained to attend - RSVPs are required to Lynn at [lsterbenz@everettwa.gov](mailto:lsterbenz@everettwa.gov) or (425) 257-8111**

**September 28 at 6:30pm**, Everett Public Library - Evergreen Branch, 9512 Evergreen Way  
**Coffee with a Cop: Chief Dan Templeman**, an opportunity to interact face-to-face with Everett's Chief of Police, Dan Templeman and Communications Officer Aaron Snell.